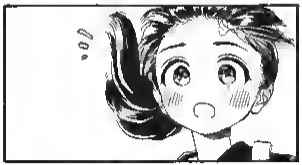
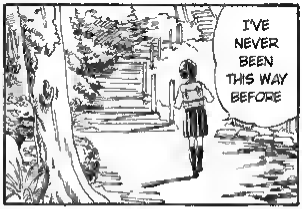
UNIFORM

I FEEL A LITTLE LESS TENSE WHEN I DO UP MY HAIR
A GIRL'S HAIR IS HER BEAUTY
明日香ちゃんの服
博 -hiro-

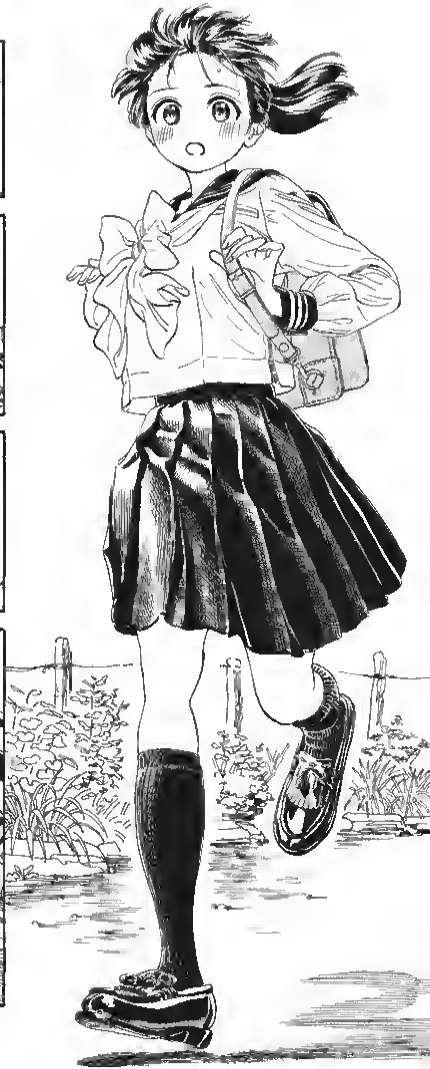
DOING UP MY HAIR WILL HELP ME CALM DOWN A BIT... MAYBE

I DON'T REALLY KNOW HOW LIGHT REFLECTS
YUP
LOOKS GOOD

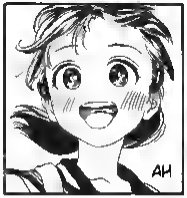



I'VE NEVER BEEN THIS WAY BEFORE

GOING BY YOURSELF IS PART OF GROWING UP

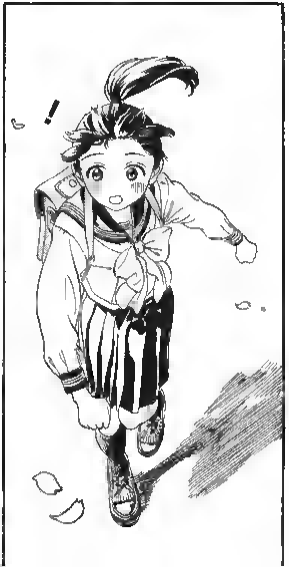


LET'S GOOO!


AH

BLINK

IT'S SAKURA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HAA
HAA
THIS IS SOME CLIMB

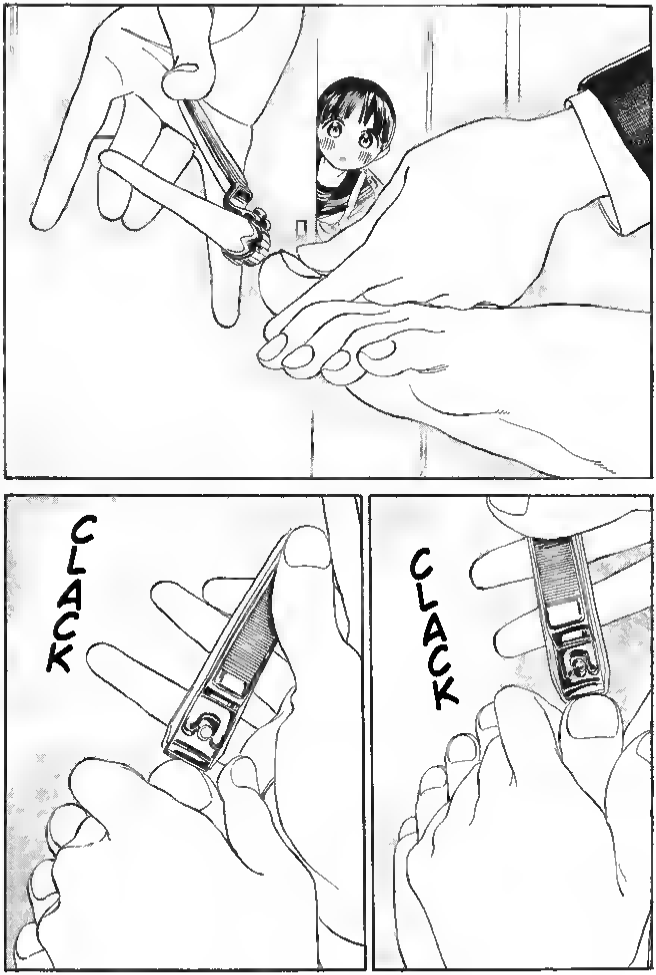
THROAT... PARCHED... RAW...
PAINFUL...
JUST... AT MY LIMIT... CAN'T GO ANY FURTHER... TOTALLY UNABLE...
HAA...
蠟梅学園
HAA...
SIGN: ROUBAI ACADEMY
SFX: LABOURED BREATHING
HUGE... IT LOOKS LIKE A CASTLE
THE MAIN GATE ISN'T WHERE THE ENTRANCE CEREMONY WAS...
NNNN...
HAAA

NEW FIRST YEAR STUDENTS CLASS ASSIGNMENT
CLASS 3
BUT
ENTRY NO
NAME
I GOT HERE WAY EARLY...
I REALLY SWEAT A LOT
I'M IN FIRST PLACE
シン…
SFX. SURPRISE

CLASS 3....
SCRIBBLE
CLASS
ENTRY NO
NAME
1
AKEBI KOMICHI
2
USAGIHARA TOU
THAT'S ME... MY ATTEND-ANCE NUMBER IS 1.
THIS FLOOR... WHICH ONE IS IT ?
SQUEAK
ROUBAI ACADEMY IS VERY LARGE... THERE ARE LOTS OF STAIRS
OH DEAR
WHOOSH
I'M TOTALLY LOST NOW
2-1
WRONG FLOOR
MAP
OOPS... THIS IS THE SECOND YEAR'S FLOOR !!

EXCUSE ME PLE-
1-3
F- FOUND IT AT LAST
HAA
HAA
WHAT ? SOMEONE ELSE IS HERE BEFORE ME ?
WAH
SHOCK!
CLACK
NAH - THEY WON'T BE SCARY
W- WHAT IF THEY'RE SCARY
...
WHAT AM I GOING TO DO ? I'M NOT READY FOR THIS YET
THEY- THEY JUST CAN'T

YESS!!
YO!!
LET'S BE
FRIENDS!
EXHALE
INHALE
SHAKE
DON'T BE SILLY! PUNCHING THEM ISN'T GOING TO WORK !!
A GOOD MORNING !!
A BIG SMILE AND


CLACK
CLACK

CLACK

SNIFF
SNIFF
SO
..UH.. GOOD.. MORNING... ..UH..

GOOD...
MORNING
BLUSH

IT'S JUST... I WAS FINDING OUT IF MY FEET SMELLED BY SNIFFING MY NAIL CLIPPERS
EH ?
PLEASE FORGET WHAT YOU HAVE JUST OBSERVED
O- ONE SHOULD NOT ASK SUCH EMBARR ASSING QUESTIONS
THEY'RE PERFECTLY FINE THANK YOU !!
...SO DO YOUR FEET USUALLY SMELL SO BAD ?
YEAH... I WON'T TELL ANYONE ABOUT IT
THAT'S WHAT SHE WAS DOING !
!
WH- !?
SNIFF
SNIFF
I WORRY ABOUT THE SAME THING TOO
?

I RAN ALL THE WAY HERE SO MY OWN FEET MIGHT BE A LITTLE SWEATY
WHAT IS SHE DOING ?!!
NO WAY !?
??
SNORT
YOU'RE SOOO FUNNY, YOU KNOW ?
...
.....
SFX: LEAP
WOW !!
SO THEN ... WOULD YOU LIKE TO CHAT A BIT MORE ?
SHE'S VERY ... CHANGE-ABLE
I DID IT, KAO - SOMEBODY SAID I WAS FUNNY !!
DON'T KNOW WHY THOUGH

WHY ARE YOU MAKING NOTES ?
THIS IS REALLY GREAT
KIZAKI ERICA-SAN...AND YOU'RE FROM TOKYO AND YOU GET FLUSTERED EASILY AND AMAZING!!

WEIRDER AND WEIRDER
SO YOU'RE GOING TO BE WEARING THAT SAILOR UNIFORM FROM NOW ON, AKEBI-CHAN... THAT'S VERY COURAGEOUS
EHEHE

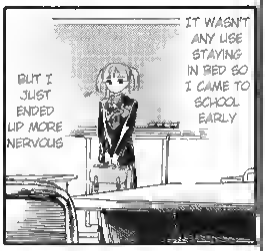
YOU'RE VERY SERIOUS, AKEBI-SAN
SMILE

SFX. EXCITED

TH-THOSE NAIL CLIPPERS LOOK REALLY CUTE !! DO YOU ALWAYS CARRY THEM AROUND WITH YOU ?
NO, I JUST BOUGHT THEM
WE'RE THE SAME AGE, BUT SOMEHOW
WAAH
SHE'S LIKE A PRETTY LADY

SOMETIMES WHEN I'M ALONE I GET ANXIOUS AND FEEL A BIT TENSE
SO I CLIP MY NAILS THEN
HEARING THIS SNAPPING SOUND SOMEHOW SETTLES ME DOWN AGAIN
HAH——
……
SO RIGHT NOW… YOU'RE STILL TENSE ?
EH?? …AH

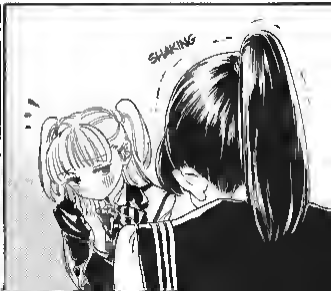
WIDE AWAKE
A NEW PLACE
TODAY'S GOING TO BE A LOT OF FIRSTS I COULDN'T SLEEP FOR THINKING ABOUT IT
A NEW LIFE


IT WASN'T ANY USE STAYING IN BED SO I CAME TO SCHOOL EARLY
BUT I JUST ENDED UP MORE NERVOUS

AH

NNN
NOD NOD

DO YOU THINK THAT'S FUNNY ?


SHAKING

IT'S JUST FINDING OUT THAT SOMEONE AS PRETTY AS KIZAKI-SAN CAN BE NERVOUS TOO
NO, IT'S NOT THAT
WHAT DO YOU DO IF YOU THINK YOU'RE SO DIFFERENT TO EVERY-ONE ELSE ?
S- SURE ! BUT I WAS WORRIED I WOULDN'T HAVE THE CONFIDENCE TO BE ABLE TO TALK TO GIRLS MY OWN AGE ABOUT THINGS
PRETTY
H-HOW I LOOK HAS NOTHING TO DO WITH BEING NERVOUS OR NOT
THAT'S WHY I'M SO HAPPY
⋮
WE'RE THE SAME !

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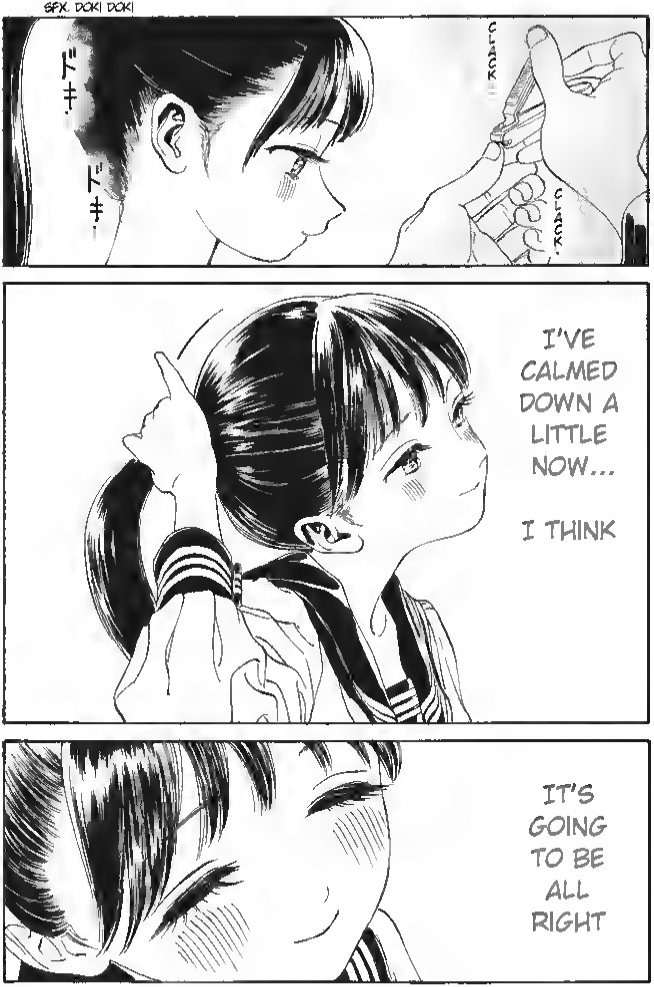
SFX. DOKI DOKI



SFX. RUB
HERE

RATTLE
WELL THEN CAN I DO IT?

◆GENTLE WORDS SOOTHE UNEASY HEARTS

KIZAKI ERIKA

ROUBAI ACADEMY MIDDLE SCHOOL DEPT
ENROLLED YEAR 1 CLASS 3 SEAT 5
ARIES BORN MARCH 23

THE FIRST CLASSMATE KOMICHI MET

Akebi-chan's Sailor Uniform

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